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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL - EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated November 17, 2004. Because the date that is two months after the date of the Office Action (*i.e.*, January 17, 2005) falls on a Federal holiday, the two-month deadline is January 18, 2005. Accordingly, **expedited procedure after final** is requested.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.